



Solemnity of Pentecost June 8—June 14

Parish Calendar

Sunday June 8 : Wear Red to Celebrate!
2PM Red Shoes Concert (Church)



Readings for the Week

Monday: 1 Kgs 17:1-6; Ps 121:1bc-8; Mt 5:1-12
Tuesday: 1 Kgs 17:7-16; Ps 4:2-5, 7b-8; Mt 5:13-16
Wednesday: Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3; Ps 98:1-6;
Mt 5:17-19
Thursday: 1 Kgs 18:41-46; Ps 65:10-13; Mt 5:20-26
Friday: 1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-16; Ps 27:7-9abc, 13-14;
Mt 5:27-32
Saturday: 1 Kgs 19:19-21; Ps 16:1b-2a, 5, 7-10;
Mt 5:33-37
Sunday: Ex 34:4b-6, 8-9; Dn 3:52-55;
2 Cor 13:11-13; Jn 3:16-18

Mass Intentions: June 6-June 13 (Fri.-Thurs.)

Fri. Tom&Charlotte O'Callaghan (Healing)	12:10pm
Sat. The Donegan Family (Blessings)	4.15pm
Sun. Walter McConnell (RIP)	9:30am
Sun. Paddy Minagh (Blessings)	11:30am
Mon. Ben Shanley (Birthday)	12:10pm
Tues. Pam Naughton (Blessings)	12:10pm
Wed. Frank Lynch (Living)	12:10pm
Thurs. Maura Caren (RIP)	12:10pm

A big thanks to Joe and Joy Cline for organizing and managing the resurfacing of the church parking lot. It turned out great!

Please pray for the sick of the parish and our extended family:

Fr. Tom Seagrave, Carrie LaBriola, Judy and Charlie Liteky, Mary Purpura, Josephine Small, Dalia Baccerra, Jerry O'Leary, Charlotte O'Callaghan, Maureen and Don Francis, Mary Dunn, Mike and Gabriel Marty, Patrick Lee, Jim and Nancy McDonald, Teresa Hyatt, Mary Donnelly, Baby Donovan Loreto de Guzman, and all our members who reside in assisted living and care facilities.



This list and additional requests for prayer may be found on the "Circle of Prayer" link on our parish website at www.sjog.net. To include someone, please contact Judy Laxen at judithfl@aol.com; 415-203-6338.

Welcome Fr. Norman Vitug

Rev. Fr. Norman Vitug is a Filipino priest who served the Archdiocese of San Fernando, Pampanga, Philippines as a pastor for 13 years. He has been assigned by his Archdiocese to continue his ministry in San Francisco. He first worked with the elderly and sick at the Little Sisters of the Poor at St. Anne's Home Care on Lake Street.

Please now welcome him as the Parish Administrator for St. John of God, beginning June, 1, 2014.

Fr. Vitug holds a BA in Philosophy. He completed four years of graduate studies in Sacred Theology and one unit of Clinical Pastoral Education. Prior to his ordination, he worked as a medical representative for Abbott Laboratories.

He was ordained a priest in November 1999.

He will be staying at St. Anne's of the Sunset until his apartment is painted, cleaned and made his own.

Be sure to stop by to welcome Fr. Norman!

The Saint John of God Prayer

Dear God, through the intercession of St. John of God, patron of the poor and the sick, grant me the grace this day to greet every person that I meet with understanding and compassion.

Reveal to me their needs and give me the means and inspire in my heart the humility and generosity of St. John so that I might be to them a revelation of Christ's love. Amen

Rev. Thomas L. Seagrave

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Pentecost Sunday;
Julian Calendar Pentecost
Monday: Tenth Week in Ordinary Time;
St. Ephrem
Wednesday: St. Barnabas
Friday: St. Anthony of Padua
Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary; Flag Day

WOW! What a Party!

"Please know my words of appreciation are from my heart.
I will miss my beloved SJOG parishioners terribly.
I have had a hard time these past two weeks in
Saying goodbye to people. I will put all of you in my
Prayers. Hoping that we shall meet again. I will
Let you know as soon as I reach Tanzania, home.
Lets keep in touch." ~MK

A grateful acknowledgement to all who volunteered at the Friday, May 30, Fr. Methodius' farewell potluck party. We spent an evening sharing good food and non-stop conversation!

Set up for 'the best time in the inner sunset'
Organizers : Judy Laxen and Janice Mortenson!
Delicious plates to share : The Community
Serve and kitchen cleanup: Rose O'Leary, Joan Humphreys, Diane Rivera
Cleanup; kitchen & hall: Art Martinez, Joe Humphreys, Michael Albertoli, Adrienne and Shaolin Plasse, Jim & Roberta McLaughlin, Jerry & Deanne Donnellan, Stephanie Lyons, Frank Weber, Marlene Olivencia, Dave Freitas (Whew! apologies if we have overlooked anyone but please know your help was most appreciated)
Bartenders; Dave Freitas, Rich Lang, Joe Humphreys
Organized cards for Fr. Methodius: Pat O'Connor
Our Choir for their inspirational music !

Bring a Friend ~ ALL ARE WELCOME !



At St. John of God, we follow the example of our Patron Saint who opened his doors to all in need. We ask that all who come to seek God's Grace honor Universal Diversity when we come together to worship as a community. A special time is during the prayers of the faithful : We all meet each other with compassion and respect.

If you have a desire to join a community of wonderful friends who accept all, **PLEASE COME JOIN US!**

EXTERIOR PAINTING

OF OUR PARISH BUILDINGS

—PROGRESS REPORT—

Progress in raising funds has been slow so far, but with one notable exception.... BY DONATING \$3,000. A GENEROUS BENEFACTOR HAS, WITH MATCHING PARISH FUNDS, SPONSORED PAINTING OF THE RECTORY.

BUT WE STILL HAVE MUCH WORK TO DO SO THE CHURCH CAN BE PAINTED.

The parish has been so generous over the past several years in having our stained glass windows re-leaded and the pews refinished. This painting project is the last step in the beautification of our church and rectory. Please do your best in helping to raise the necessary funds. Thank you.

Each dollar donated will be matched by a dollar from parish funds.

A \$5,000 donation will "sponsor" painting the church (full cost \$10,000).

As many donations as possible of \$250, \$500 or \$1,000 will help us reach our goal, but donations of any amount will be greatly appreciated.

Donations may be made by...

Check marked "painting", made payable to St. John of God, and placed in the collection basket at Mass or sent to the office.

Online donation at www.sjog.net using the DONATE button.

Thank you.

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